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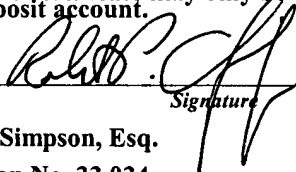
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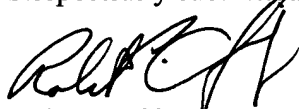
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- DE 19823089, mentioned in the International Search Report (copy attached), with English language equivalents GB 2369869 and GB 2330889 attached thereto.
- WO 00/74967, mentioned in the International Search Report, with English language equivalent US 2002/0156562 attached thereto.

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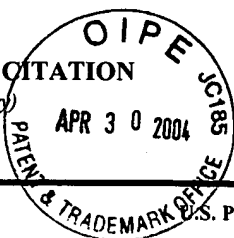
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## OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

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